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FOLLOWING REPEAT COLOMBO 3092 ACTION SECSTATE 19 AUG 76

QUOTE S E C R E T COLOMBO 3092

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, MZ, RH
SUBJECT: LETTER FOR MACHEL

REF: STATE 204128

1. IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT, THE PRESIDENT'S
MESSAGE WAS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY TO PRESIDENT MACHEL
OF MOZAMBIQUE. I TRIED WITHOUT SUCCESS FOR THIRTY HOURS
TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT WITH THE PRESIDENT OR A HIGH-LEVEL
MEMBER OF THE MOZAMBIQUE DELEGATION. IN ADDITION, I
PERSONALLY WENT TO THEIR HOTEL TWICE IN AN ATTEMPT TO
CONTACT THEM. IN THE MEANTIME I LEARNED THIS MORNING
THAT PRESIDENT MACHEL HAD DEPARTED SRI LANKA.

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WM AT 1500 TODAY, USUN MISOFF MADE CONTACT WITH FOREIGN

MINISTER CHISSANO AND DELIVERED THE MESSAGE. CHISSANO
WAS FULLY AWARE OF MY EFFORTS TO REACH HIM AND APPOLOGIZED
PROFUSELY FOR NOT RETURNING MY CALL. HE SAID HE WOULD
TELEPHONE PRESIDENT MACHEL IN MAPUTO TONIGHT
AND ADVISE US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE HIS RESPONSE TO
PRESIDENT FORD'S MESSAGE.
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